

FISCAL NOTE

SB 1790 - HB 1709

February 26, 2001

SUMMARY OF BILL: Specifies that members of the board of commissioners of a utility district in any county having a population of not less than 140,000 nor more than 145,000 according to the 1990 or subsequent federal census (Sullivan County) may receive per diem payments of not more than \$250 per meeting. Current law specifies per diem payments of \$50 or \$100 depending on the size of the district. Requires a resolution increasing per diem payments under the provisions of this bill to be ratified by a majority of the customers attending a meeting where one or more persons will be elected to serve on the board. Written notice of the meeting must be sent to all customers of the utility district at least 30 days prior to the date of the meeting.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Increase Local Govt. Expenditures - Not Significant / Permissive

Estimate assumes to the extent the utility district chooses to increase per diem payments to board members and it is ratified by the customers as required, the district will experience an increase in expenditures which is estimated to be not significant.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.



James A. Davenport, Executive Director

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